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## Amendments to the Specification

Page 1, line 1, please delete the title of the invention and replace with the new title as follows:

## IMPROVED METHOD FOR TREATING DISORDERS AND DISEASES TREATABLE WITH HUMAN FIBROBLAST INTERFERON

Page 1, please delete the "CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS" section as originally filed in its entirety.

Page 1, after the title, please insert the following "CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS" section as follows:

This is a divisional of parent application no. 09/698,133, filed October 30, 2000, now issued as US Patent No. 6,638,500, which is a continuation of PCT International application PCT/US99/09161, filed April 28, 1999, which claims the benefit of priority from provisional application no. 60/083,340, filed April 28, 1998, the entire contents of the above applications being incorporated herein by reference.